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INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 SCS-03 SCA-01 PPT-01 CIAE-00

INR-07 NSAE-00 H-02 SY-05 SSO-00 INRE-00 /031 R

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TO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY KATHMANDU PRIORITY

AMCONSUL LAHORE PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINS

SUBJECT: INDIAN AIRLINES HIJACKING

REF: NEW DELHI 13396

1. DEPARTMENT HAS CONTACTED PAN AM NEW YORK TO ASCERTAIN IF INDIAN AIRLINES PASSENGER, G. SPINNER, IS AMCIT. PAN AM STATES RECORDS ARE MAINTAINED AT PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT AND THEREFORE NEEDS TO KNOW WHERE SPINNER IS ASSIGNED IN ORDER TO VERIFY EMPLOYMENT AS WELL AS TO DETERMINE CITIZENSHIP AND NEXT-OF-KIN DATA.

2. DOES EMBASSY HAVE ANY ADDITIONAL DATA ON HOW IT ASCERTAINED SPINNER IS PAN AM EMPLOYEE? IF INFO WAS OBTAINED FROM PASSENGER COUPON, IT SHOULD ALSO INDICATE WHERE EMPLOYEE IS ASSIGNED.

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3. REPLY IMMEDIATE. KISSINGER

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## Message Attributes

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